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**WVSIA ANNUAL CONFERENCE
THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 2011**

AGENDA

- 7:30-8:00 am** *Registration, Continental Breakfast and Exhibit Visitation*
- 8:00-8:10 am** **Call to Order, Introduction of Program**
Henry Bowen, Executive Secretary, WVSIA
Steptoe & Johnson PLLC
- 8:10-8:40 am** **Review of Pertinent Self Insurance Issues**
Phil Nicholson, Chairman, WVSIA Board of Managers
Consol Energy, Inc.
- 8:40-9:40 am** **Self-Insurers' Roundtable—"Cost Saving Techniques for Self-Insured Employers"**
Loyd Hudson, AEP, Nathan Fraley, The Kroger Company, Nanette Miller, Alpha Natural Resources, Moderator
- 9:40-10:00 am** *Break and Exhibit Visitation*
- 10:00-10:30 am** **West Virginia's Challenges**
Hon. Earl Ray Tomblin, Acting Governor
State of West Virginia
- 10:30-11:30 am** **Non-Traditional Return to Work Alternatives and Avoiding Disastrous Treatment Outcomes**
Tony D'Orazio, VocWorks, Hugh Murray, Charleston Physical Therapy
- 11:30-12:00 pm** **Workers' Compensation Claims Appeals**
Rita Helmick, J.D., Chairperson,
WV Workers' Compensation Board of Review
- 12:00-1:00 pm** *Luncheon and Exhibit Visitation*
- 1:00-2:30 pm** **Complex Problems-Clear Solutions**
Dr. David Clayman
Clayman & Associates
- 2:30-2:45 pm** *Break and Exhibit Visitation*
- 2:45-3:15 pm** **New Workers' Compensation Case Law and Litigation Issues**
Barney Frazier, J.D
Kay Casto & Chaney PLLC
- 3:15 pm** **Conference Closing, Door Prize Drawings & Adjournment**
Janice Bowen, Conference Coordinator